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PERSONNEL BOARD DISCUSSION OF July 20, 2007

Attending:

Elsa Urquiza Chairperson
David Alschuler Vice Chairperson
Zalman Bacheikov Associate Member
Michael Perlmutter Associate Member
Stacy McCrae Employee Member
Renato Sejas Employee Member
Jimmie Newton Employee Member

Ramiro Inguanzo Secretary

Steve Rothstein City Attorney's Office

Absent:

Alex DeGasperi Associate Member
Bunny Patchen Associate Member

ITEM 1-APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The Personnel Board meeting began at 9:15am

Upon motion of Michael Perlmutter, Associate Member and with all in favor the minutes of the June 15, 2007 Personnel Board meeting were approved.

ITEM 2- CLASSIFIED PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS-THE REQUEST FROM PERSONNEL BOARD MEMBERS FOR DEPARTMENT DIRECTORS WITH MORE THAN 10% OR WITH 10 OR MORE PAST DUE PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS TO APPEAR BEFORE THE BOARD.

Ramiro Inguanzo, Chief of Staff advised the Board that overall the Department of Human Resources and Risk Management has been aggressively working with City Departments in decreasing the amount of past due evaluations. Neighborhood Services and Parks and Recreation are among the departments that have submitted a substantial amount of evaluations within the last month.

Jimmie Newton, Employee Member commended the Police Department in decreasing their past due evaluations from previous years.

ITEM 3-APPROVAL OF REQUEST FOR THE CREATION OF A NEW CLASSIFICATION AND DETERMINATION OF PAY GRADE-CUSTOMER SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE (0606 Others)

Upon motion of David Alschuler, Vice Chairperson and seconded by Stacy McCrae, Employee Member and with all in favor the creation of a new classification and determination of pay grade-Customer Service Representative was approved.

ITEM 4-APPROVE THE BUDGET REQUEST OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HR AND RISK MANAGEMENT'S BUDGET FOR FY 2007/2008.

Ramiro Inguanzo, Chief of Staff explained to the Board the Roll-back rate and its effects to the City of Miami Beach's overall budget. At the next Personnel Board meeting, Ramiro will present to the Board the recommendations that were made to the Finance and Citywide Committee.

ITEM 5-REVIEW OF REVISED EMPLOYEE GUIDE DEFERRED TO JULY 20, 2007 PERSONNEL BOARD MEETING.

On the Employee Guide draft the Board would like to see a clarification under the section of "Performance Appraisal". The Board would like to see that the language in this section expresses to all We are committed to providing excellent public service and safety to all who live, work, and play in our vibrant, tropical, historic community.

Classified employees their right to appeal their performance evaluation within 10 days of the date their evaluation was issued.

Upon motion of Jimmie Newton, Employee Member and with all in favor, the meeting was adjourned at 10:27 AM.

Ramiro Inguanzo, Secretary